GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3524
ANSWERED ON:08.08.2017
Meditech Parks
Jardosh Smt. Darshana Vikram;Rawal Shri Paresh

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

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(a) whether the Government has received any proposal from the State Governments for assistance to develop/ establish Meditech Parks;
(b) if so, the details of the proposals received in this regard and the status of these proposals, State-wise;
(c) whether there is any policy/scheme for assistance to promote/establish Meditech Parks in the States and if so, the details thereof; and
(d) if not, whether there is any plan/ proposal to declare scheme of assistance for promotion of Meditech Parks?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS; MINISTRY OF SHIPPING AND MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)

(a) to (d): Proposals for assistance for setting up of Medical Device Parks from the State Governments of Gujarat and Andhra Pradesh were received. The State Government of Gujarat requested in-principle approval and financial assistance. Central Government has informed the State Government of Gujarat that no in-principle approval is required. State Government of Andhra Pradesh had also requested a grant of INR 75 Crores for setting up Common Facilities in the Andhra Pradesh Medtech Zone being established in Visakhapatnam. Government has a proposal for a "Scheme for Financial Assistance to Common Facility Centers (CFCs)" under the umbrella scheme for "Development of Pharmaceuticals Industry". However, no budget allocation has yet been made for the proposed scheme.
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